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## Million-Dollar Banking Chair Established

SunBank will establish a \$1-million UCF Eminent Scholar Chair in Banking. Buell G. Duncan, Jr., bank chairman and chief executive officer, announced yesterday at a ceremony symbolically featuring a heavily guarded, four-foot high mound of bills equal to the chair's seven-figure value.

The creation of the SunBank Chair will enable the College of Business Administration to attract a nationally or internationally prominent expert in banking to instruct students. SunBank's pledge of \$600,000 to the University of Central Florida Foun-

dation, Inc. will be matched by \$420,000 from the State of Florida under a program that encourages the formation of eminent scholar chairs throughout the State University System.

Duncan said that the banking chair will help prepare outstanding graduates seeking careers not only with SunBank, but with other banks and financial institutions in mid-Florida as well. "This is the very essence of what our bank's founder, Linton E. Allen, said over a half-century ago, 'Build your community and you'll build your bank,'" said

Duncan. He added that the chair will further reduce any incentive employers may have to go outside of Central Florida to find superior banking graduates.

"The SunBank gift affirms the commitment of a leading financial institution to its community and to its hometown university," UCF President Steven Altman said. "The creation of the chair greatly strengthens the prospects of UCF developing into a nationally-recognized urban university, which, in turn, will enhance Orlando's deserved reputation as one of the nation's most

favorable places to live and to work."

SunBank, N.A. is the largest bank in Central Florida with assets of over \$3.8 billion and deposits of more than \$3.1 billion. It has over 60 banking offices in Orange, Seminole, Brevard, Osceola and Lake counties.

UCF currently has fully-funded eminent scholar chairs in American private enterprise, computer science, community arts and one covering the field of optical sciences and engineering. The pledged banking chair joins another chair that has been pledged for the College of Business Administration. □

## Research Proposals Flood High-Tech Council's Mailbox



Bart Saunders, a graduate assistant in the Division of Sponsored Research, bears up well under the weight of proposals submitted to the High-Tech Council. Joanne Smith, assistant development coordinator, and Bruce Furina, development coordinator, pile on even more paper.

If the in-boxes at Florida's High Technology and Industry Council are gridlocked by mail, UCF deserves a large part of the blame for the bottleneck. High-tech researchers here are responsible this year for a third more grant requests than the blizzard of proposals that last year put UCF and the University of Florida on nearly equal funding footing.

UCF's Division of Sponsored Research processed 64 High Tech Council-bound proposals for the 1989-90 year, compared to 48 for the prior year. Each proposal filled 20 pages, with 12 copies required, Rusty Okoniewski, assistant director of Sponsored Research, reported. "The photocopying bill alone totaled \$1,600," he said.

If all proposals are accepted, Okoniewski said, UCF researchers would reap \$5.1 million in high-tech

awards. Last year, UCF researchers

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## UCF Reaches Out

The International Student Association, The Hispanic American Student Association and the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers sponsored a canned food and clothing drive last week to help the victims of Hurricane Hugo. Donations from the drive will be distributed in North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia. Ann L. Hamid, administrative secretary in International Student Services, and Luca Salerno, a senior in design technology, gather the donations which will be picked up and transported to the devastated areas.



# Official Memoranda

Publication of these memoranda and announcements about University policy and procedure constitutes official notice to faculty and staff.

TO: All Faculty  
FROM: Charles N. Micarelli, Chairman  
Learning Resource Council  
SUBJECT: Instructional Development Grants

Once again the University will make grant money available to faculty for Instructional Development projects. The grants are to assist in increasing the effectiveness of the teaching-learning process. This year, instead of fall and spring grants, there will be just one grant period. This means faculty members will have a longer time to complete their projects and may attempt more diverse and involved projects.

The total budget for grants is \$10,000; unfortunately, neither faculty salary nor OCO funds are available. The Learning Resource Council will determine which grants are to be awarded, and applicants will be notified of the results. All grant projects must be completed by March 30, 1990.

## Procedure

1. Pick up a Grant Proposal Form from the Office of Instructional Resources (LIB 107) or Office of Undergraduate Studies (ADM 210).
2. Fill out the form and include a brief description of what you expect to accomplish and what materials and assistance you will need.
3. Make an appointment with Mary Alice Hartman, Office of Instructional Resources, to discuss the proposal and formulate a budget before submitting the proposal (x2571).
4. Have your department chair sign the proposal.
5. Submit the grant form to the Office of Instructional Resources by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, October 20, 1989.

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TO: University Community  
FROM: Hugh Ivie, Director  
Environmental Health and Safety  
SUBJECT: Stray Animals on Campus

This is to advise that direct contact with any stray animal on campus should be avoided. Bats, cats, and dogs are of particular significance because they inhabit the same places as humans and can be carriers of rabies.

Please call the University Police at x2422 if stray animals are observed on campus. Your assistance in this effort is greatly appreciated.

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TO: All Faculty  
FROM: Dean L. M. Trefonas  
Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs  
SUBJECT: Scroll Membership

The Office of Graduate studies is once again requesting nominations for induction into the Scroll. The Scroll is an honorary society established to acknowledge publicly recognized professional activity by UCF faculty members. The organization's focus is upon professional work which has appeared in peer-reviewed journals. Such work, like the books already recognized by the Quill, fosters the reputation of the University in the community of scholars.

The criteria for membership as established by the Scroll Advisory Committee are:

1. A minimum of 25 peer-reviewed articles in national and international journals.
2. A minimum of ten (10) articles must have been published while the individual is employed at UCF.
3. Conference papers, book chapters, abstracts, and similar material will not be considered.
4. If questions arise, the faculty member will provide supplemental information.

Those individuals who are eligible for membership should submit a com-

plete listing of their publications. In addition, the scholar should provide complete copies of his or her ten most significant refereed publications. All these materials should be sent to the Office of Graduate Studies, AD 146 by November 1, 1989. If there are any questions, please call Graduate Studies at 2197.

Selection of Scroll members will be made by the Scroll Advisory Committee. Faculty selected for membership will receive a plaque recognizing their achievement at an annual luncheon.

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TO: All Faculty  
FROM: Associate Vice President L. M. Trefonas  
SUBJECT: Quill Membership Guidelines

The UCF Book Authors Club, called "The Quill," was formed in 1983 for the purpose of honoring UCF faculty members who have brought recognition to the University through books which they have authored. A Faculty committee was set up which developed definitions (What is a book? Who is an author? What would qualify an author of a given book for membership in "The Quill"?). A formal initiation into The Quill together with an appropriate form of recognition takes place at a luncheon later in the year.

This year, a Faculty Committee will do the evaluations based upon the guidelines previously set up for The Quill. Please call us (x2197) for the appropriate nomination form(s), if you had a book published.

I would very much like to see every worthwhile "book" achievement result in the honoring of the faculty member(s) involved. For example, the Research and Scholarly Activities volumes (seven have already been distributed and the eighth [1981-1989] is being prepared now) list many books published by faculty. Yet many of these authors have not yet been recognized formally by admission to the Quill.

Final nominations should be in this office and no later than December 1, 1989.

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TO: All UCF Faculty and Staff  
FROM: Joe Dean, Head Basketball Coach  
SUBJECT: Reception

The Rosemont Country Club is hosting a reception for the UCF Men's Basketball Program for the purpose of inviting all interested individuals to come and become more involved in supporting this new and exciting program. Men's Basketball is off to a new start this year. We want and need your support both in the stands and in many other ways.

The event is planned for Wednesday, October 11, 1989 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. Rosemont is located in the area of John Young Parkway and Hwy 441. We are in the process of forming the Black-Tie Club and invite you to come and join. You will be more informed about UCF Basketball and the new direction of the program.

If you are unable to attend and would like more information, please call my office on campus at 281-5805. We will be glad to send you the information in the mail.

Hope to see you there!

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## Correction

The total figure in last week's memo regarding faculty travel support was incorrectly reported.

The correct figure is \$36,126. This figure reflects travel for the period of July 1, 1988 through June 30, 1989.

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# Parking Problem Better with Temporary Spaces

The parking woes caused by this Fall's near record enrollment increase were lessened last week with the opening of about 400 temporary student parking spaces and decisions to press ahead with plans to build new, permanent parking to accommodate between 400 and 500 cars.

The temporary spaces are on both sides of Pegasus Circle north of CEBA I, near the Business Professional Womens' Scholarship House on Aquarius Drive and across

Aquarius Drive adjoining parking lots 1W and 4W. Additional temporary parking is to be made available near the ROTC facility.

According to John R. Bolte, vice president for administration and finance, architectural plans for a permanent lot are being readied for land along Gemini Boulevard west of the Education Building. The lot, which will be separated from Gemini Boulevard by a berm, could be ready early in 1990, if plans progress

without complication, Bolte said.

"Parking is our most critical short-term facility problem," Bolte said, "and it also is a far more expensive problem than most people think. After factoring in drainage, lighting, access roads and all other expenses, the average cost of each permanent parking space amounts to about \$1,000."

The temporary parking spaces will remain in service until permanent parking becomes available. Per-

manent parking has been proposed as part of a \$3-million request to the Board of Regents for parking, roads and utilities in 1990. Nonetheless, primary funding for parking must come from decal fees, which are expected to increase until parking needs are met.

Officials warn that the temporary parking is on unstable ground, mostly sand, which could cause traction problems and access difficulties in wet weather. □

## Researcher Receives \$ to Develop Thinking Computer Mind-mimicking Machine Still 10-15 Years Away

The most sophisticated and versatile computer is completely portable. Everyone has one and uses it to draw conclusions more swiftly and accurately than any machine. It's the gray matter we call the human

brain.

The brain so greatly overwhelms computers in "thinking power" that the compact organ of nearly a trillion interconnected cells has become the model for a coming generation of

computers that will mimic the mind in its ability to learn from experience.

The first truly "thinking machine" is 10 to 15 years away, estimates Harold K. Brown, whose research funded by the contributions of the Chesley G. Magruder Foundation, Inc. and the Harris

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"Neural networking" is a short-hand expression describing a computer architecture that enables a machine to collect information, say an image of a cat, and to conclude immediately that the live version of the processed image goes "Meow" and does not bark.

cat, and to conclude immediately that the live version of the processed image goes "Meow" and does not bark. "Once a neural network is constructed, it is trained

similarly as a child would be trained to add numbers using flash cards," Brown explains. "In other words, the neural network is trained by example. This allows complex decision-making to be conducted without understanding the complete logic behind such decisions. After many training sessions, the neural network develops a consensus of the decision criteria, which then can be applied to completely new situations with remarkable results." □



President Steven Altman accepts a \$10,000 check from Thomas Haycock, director, technology programs, at the Harris Corp. The gift is earmarked for research in "neural networking," a project led by Dr. Harold K. Brown of the College of Engineering's Electrical Engineering Department.

### Bill Morris 1929 - 1989

Tributes from colleagues from across the country have followed the death on Sept. 4 of Bill D. Morris, director of operations analysis and a 22-year member of the UCF family.

Their regard for Bill was voiced by fellow members of the Association of College and University Telecommunications Administrators, Inc. (ACUTA), the organization he had served as 1988-89 president.

The September ACUTA News was dedicated to his memory.

"ACTU has lost a good and loyal friend. He will be missed mightily by all of us who knew him and had the pleasure of working with him," said ACUTA President Michael Grunder, of Yale.

Bill's qualities were recalled by Joyce Clampitt, UCF associate vice president for administration and finance, who noted he was able "to shift through complex material and come up with the salient points in short order. He was a real professional and a good friend. We will miss him." □



### THUMBS UP!

These enthusiastic United Way area coordinators represent departments and offices across campus who met last Tuesday to kick-off this year's campaign. The drive is shooting at a \$33,000 goal. Faculty and staff will be contacted for cash or pledges over the next six weeks leading to the Nov. 17 deadline. Last year's grand total was \$31,480, which represented 104.9 percent of the UCF goal.



## College of Education Awarded Prestigious Danforth Grant

*Funds to Start Principal Preparation Program*

Thanks to a grant from the Danforth Foundation, the College of Education will collaborate with local school systems in a non-traditional program to better prepare school principals. UCF is one of only four universities nationwide to receive the Danforth awards for revamping the way principals are prepared for their jobs.

The thumbs up from the philanthropic St. Louis-based Danforth Foundation, along with its \$45,000 seed money, is a clear indication of UCF's growing national recognition in educational leadership, said Dr. David Mealor, chairman of educational services. Other recipients of this year's Danforth grants are Old Dominion, Iowa State and California State. Mealor says UCF was recognized above a large number of schools including other Florida universities.

The program calls for participating school systems to identify individuals as candidates for a 15-month intensive master's degree

program in school administration. In addition, the university will provide a program that integrates university study with mentoring from active school administrators. School systems invited to participate in the program are Orange, Volusia, Brevard, Lake, Osceola and Seminole counties. Rich Reitzug, educational services, will be the program facilitator.

Bill Bozeman, the College of Education's program coordinator for the administration/supervision program (soon to be renamed educational leadership), says the target size for the first principals' class is 16 to 20 students.

Bozeman and Mealor contend a key factor in attracting attention from the Danforth Foundation was the success of the College of Education's doctoral program. According to the two men, the program will provide UCF with national visibility and the opportunity to attract individuals who promise to be outstanding graduate students. □



### True Friends of the Library

From left, Bruce Reynolds, United Telephone's vice president for operations; Ernestine Galloway; Frank Hutsell, United Telephone's director of public relations; and Sarah Galloway at the UCF Library's dedication of the United Telephone Company Book Collection Sept. 21.

## Oct. 15 Slated for Dedication of B-School Building

Dedication of the \$11.5 million College of Business Administration building at the University of Central Florida will be held on Sunday, Oct. 15.

The 3 p.m. ceremony will signal formal acceptance of the four-story building, which is known officially as CEBA II, the second phase of UCF's Center for Engineering and Business Administration.

One feature of the new structure is a joint use facility that physically

links the two colleges and is shared by students from each. UCF is the first college or university in Florida to do so.

The keynote address, which follows a welcome by Acting Dean George E. Stevens, and remarks by UCF President Steven Altman and Florida Regent Joan D. Ruffier, of Orlando, will be given by William V. Muse, president of the University of Akron.

Presentation and acceptance of the

building will be formalized by Clifford L. Eubanks, former dean of business at UCF, and Charles B. Reed, chancellor of the State University System, respectively.

The new building covers 114,800 square feet. Construction began in October 1987 and was completed in April 1989. The building contains two auditoriums, nine classrooms, 10 caserooms, a computer lab, student study lounge, faculty/staff lounge, teaching restaurant, 13 conference/

work areas and 140 faculty offices.

The building was designed by VOA Associates, Inc. General contractor was Aberthaw Construction. Allan and Conrad, Inc., were structural engineers; Dyer, Riddle, Mill & Precourt, Inc., the civil engineers; and Tilden, Lobnitz & Copper, Inc., the mechanical/electrical engineers. Wallis-Baker was landscape architect, and electrical work was by Tri-City Electrical Contractors, Inc. □



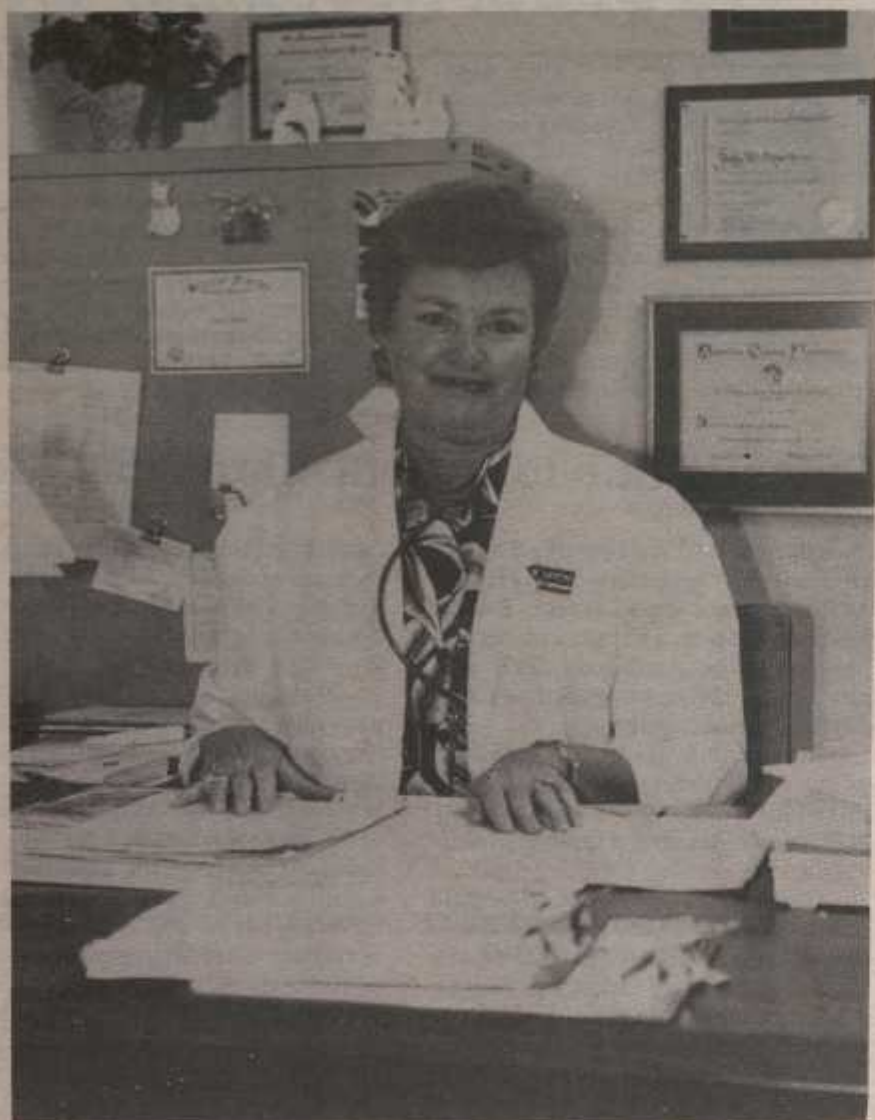
### Hot Topics Focus on Abortion Issue

Above panelists representing both the Pro-Choice and Pro-Life side of the abortion issue aired their views in a public forum last night in the Student Center Auditorium. A crowd of 250 watched two films and listened to the debate on this current and very controversial topic. At right Chris Ceraolo, senior in RTV/film, asks the panelists a question.





# Nurse Sayers Treats Students with Mother's Care



Judy Sayers, supervisor of nurses at the Student Health Center, finds a quiet moment amid a busy day. For her student patients: It's a lot of T.L.C. to help the medicine go down.

Trying to find the right adjectives to describe Judy Sayers is like choosing your favorite colors from a box of 64 Crayola crayons. You could talk about her easy smile or her twinkling eyes or the overabundance of energy she possesses. No matter what colorful adjectives are used, there is no doubt

why Judy was chosen as October's Employee of the Month.

Judy is a registered nurse who began her training in New Orleans. She interrupted her education to marry and have three children. After the sudden death of her husband, she went back to school to finish her

nursing degree.

She laughs pragmatically at her situation, "I went to my mother's graduation, I didn't see any reason why my children shouldn't attend mine." The family was living in Key West at the time of her husband's death and it was there that she finished her nurse's training. It was also in Key West, she later met and married her second husband Bob Sayers, a Federal Aviation Administration officer. Sayers' work brought him to Orlando and Judy's nursing abilities brought her to UCF.

She began working at UCF in 1980 as a relief nurse in what she describes as one hallway in the Student Center. One year later she became a permanent full-time employee. "There was only one-third the staff we have now," she says. "Now we have eight RNs who are permanent full-time, three relief nurses, two sterile technicians and one lab technician position."

It is Judy's job to supervise this staff. It is a job she loves. "I've always wanted to be a nurse." She prefers nursing in an out-patient setting as opposed to working in a hospital. "As a widow with three small children, I saw out-patient nursing as an opportunity to be with my children. I also like the chance it gives for carry-over with the patients." She says she likes running into her patients in the grocery store or in other areas outside a hospital setting.

She particularly likes the work at UCF's health center. "I like working with students. They are individuals with their own set of problems. The students are really neat and present such an opportunity for teaching."

"The work here is satisfying. You're treating the students' illnesses and looking after them (while they are away from home)," Judy says.

"Nurses are always mamas first."

The need to have qualified, competent nurses who understand the special needs of college students is very important to Judy. She feels there should be a College Health Nurses certification and has been lobbying for just such a requirement through many of the professional nursing associations in which she belongs. She says the certification may be a reality very soon.

Judy is proud of the growth of the health center and the growth throughout the university. Not only is the Student Health Center now housed in a beautiful building of its own, but the center offers a variety of services for students including special clinics. Judy says one source of real pride for her is the Student Wellness Program. The program has helped students get involved in assessing their own health, she says. "Much of this is done through peer education."

She says the center is a great place to work. "We're kind of like a family who works together for the common cause of the patients."

Although this 1980's version of Florence Nightingale is reticent to talk about her honors and many achievements she says there are a few. While in Key West she was a volunteer worker helping with the Mariel boatlift. She was the first woman member of the vestry at St. Paul's Episcopal in Key West and was voted Outstanding Young Woman of the Year in 1972.

When she is not taking care of students, supervising the nursing staff or conferring with the center's physicians, Judy says she enjoys cooking and making crafts. She especially loves planning parties and festivities. □

## Visiting Lecture Series to Host FIT Math Department Head

The Distinguished Visiting Lecture Series of UCF Mathematics will present Dr. V. Lakshmikantham Oct. 9 and 10. Lakshmikantham is professor and head of the department of applied mathematics at Florida Institute of Technology.

He will lecture Oct. 9 at 1 p.m. in CCII 102-103 on "Monotone Iterative Technique for Nonlinear Systems" and on Oct. 10 in PH 115 on "Trends in the Theory of Impulsive Differential Equations."

Refreshments will be served 15 minutes prior to the beginning of each lecture. □



V. Lakshmikantham

Center for Research in Electro-Optics and Lasers generated the most proposals, 17, followed by the Electrical Engineering Department in the College of Engineering with 10. The Institute for Simulation and Training and the Computer Science Department in the College of Arts & Sciences tied for third with nine proposals each. □

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snared a total of \$1.4 million, representing about a third of the value of grants awarded statewide. The amount was only \$200,000 less than what researchers at the University of Florida received.

According to Okoniewski, the

## October

- 7 CLAST Examination
- 11th Annual NCNB Threshold Run for the Kids, 8 a.m.
- UCF vs. E. Tennessee State Game, 1:30 p.m.
- 8 Lecture on "Zora Neale Hurston, Queen of the Nigger ati," 2-4 p.m. University Dining Room
- 10 Hypnotist, Tom DeLuca, UCF Gym, 8 p.m.
- 12 Part-time Job Fair, Green, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- 13 Deadline for Withdrawal
- 14 GRE Examination
- Movie, "Oliver and Company," SAC, Noon & 5 p.m.
- 15 Dedication, College of Business Administration Building, 3 p.m., CEBA II 107
- 15-21 National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week "I'm Driving" Designated Driver Promotion
- 16 Face the Wall, Marjorie Greathouse and Don Johnson, Art Gallery, Through Nov. 9, H&FA
- 18 Brown Bag Lecture Series on Environment, SCA, Noon



## Staff Council's BIRTHDAY REPORT for October 1989

Staff Council has long recognized birthdays by sending greeting cards to USPS celebrants. The council extends that policy by providing the following list of University employees who will celebrate birthdays during the month of October. If anyone wishes to have their name omitted from future listings, please call Joanne Ogburn at x5181.

- 1 Anne L. Ryder, Admin. & Finance
- 2 Hugh R. Carpenter, Police Dept.
- 2 Joseph M. Lehmuth, Phys. Plant
- 2 Richard D. Huff, Comp. Svcs.
- 3 Sandra M. Cherepow, Instr. Resources
- 4 Robert E. Snow, Comm. Coll. Relations
- 5 Edmund A. Dabiedath, A&SF, SG
- 7 Jean F. Williams, Bookstore
- 7 Patricia J. Parker, Comp Svcs.
- 8 Linda L. Sadeek, Office Systems
- 8 Carmen K. Makowski, Health Services
- 8 Jane I. Tyler, Industrial Engr.
- 9 Virginia R. McDougal, FSEC-Research
- 9 Deborah S. Rubenstein, IST
- 9 Robert P. Jones, Jr, Phys. Plant
- 9 James L. Gregory, Phys. Plant
- 9 Elizabeth Benjamin, CES Admin.
- 10 Michael A. Fioramanti, Payroll
- 10 Edward F. McClellan, Central Receiving
- 10 Martha L. Mitchell, Payroll
- 11 G. Betty Eldredge, Health Svcs.
- 12 Michael C. McCarthy, Traffic Decals
- 12 Dirk L. Rivers, I&R Computer Support
- 12 Mattie McKenzie, Phys. Plant
- 13 Sharon L. Wise, Bus. Grad. Records
- 14 Louetta King, Bookstore
- 14 Mary F. Roberts, DRC 67 O&M Fund
- 15 Alice Webb, DRC 67 O&M fund
- 15 Fanny Morales, Physics
- 15 Rebecca J. Rubin, Brevard Campus
- 16 Deborah H. Evans, Personnel
- 16 Theresa M. Jump, Bookstore
- 16 Frederick A. Hodgins, Computer Services
- 17 Melvin A. Myers, Health Services
- 17 Linda D. McCloe, Undergrad. Studies
- 18 Martha R. Bradford, Health Services
- 18 Wanda L. Dutton, FSEC
- 18 William R. Long, A&SF Student Center
- 18 S. Michael Pinn, A&SF Student Center
- 18 Kathleen Wohlbold, Health & Prof. Stud.
- 19 Doris L. Butcher, Student Affairs
- 19 Kimberly A. Hines, Health Services
- 19 Sherry Spring, Finance
- 19 Salva L. Heard, Phys. Plant
- 20 John L. Shafer, Phys. Plant
- 21 Arlene M. Pavlic, Bookstore
- 22 Dennis N. LaFleur, Phys. Plant
- 22 Vivian J. Foote, Chemistry
- 23 Wilma A. Todd, FSEC
- 24 Awdra M. Montgomery, Payroll
- 26 Judith L. Fry, Student Affairs
- 26 Wilma I. McCollum, Postal Services
- 26 Benigno Garcia, Phys. Plant
- 27 Sandra L. Luker, Registrar's
- 27 Blake A. Weatherford, Phys. Plant
- 27 Lee A. Kirkpatrick, Philos. & Humanities
- 27 Elaine M. Vogt, Business Admin.
- 27 Oralia G. Gorham, Comm. Disorders
- 27 Idella B. Pauldo, Phys. Plant
- 27 Edgardo Rodriguez, Printing Services
- 29 Beverly G. Poulin, Health Services
- 29 Raymon C. Lewis, Phys. Plant
- 29 Valarie G. King, Counseling Ctr.
- 29 Serena N. Evans, Purchasing
- 29 Patricia A. Turner, Physics
- 30 James B. Davis, Finance & Acctg.
- 30 William P. England, Instr. Resources

## Orlando Shakespeare Fest To Debut November 17



More than 1,000 professional actors and actresses from Orlando, New York, Chicago and other cities have auditioned for parts in Orlando's first Shakespeare Festival.

According to Stuart Omans, UCF English professor and Festival artistic director, more than a year has been

invested in searching for cast members with the right combination of talent and enthusiasm for the 24 roles in *The Taming of the Shrew* and *The Tempest*. The Festival, which is presented in association with the University of Central Florida, premieres on Nov. 17 in the new Lake Eola Amphitheatre. Performances are free, but will require tickets to control seating. Tickets may be reserved through Ticketmaster outlets, beginning Oct. 9. □

## Campus Run to Benefit 'Threshold Kids'

Runners and walkers of all ages are invited to register for the 11th annual Run for the Kids Oct. 7 to be held on campus. The run will benefit Threshold, Inc., founded in 1975 to provide for the treatment of severely dysfunctional children.

The events will begin at 8:15 a.m. with a 5,000 meter race, to be followed by walkers, a 1-mile fun run and team races, and a quarter-mile kiddie run.

There is a \$10 entry fee to be paid before the race at any NCNB National Bank in Central Florida or at the Track Shack of Orlando. There is a \$12 late fee the day of the race. There is no fee for the kiddie run.

Two dollars of each entry will go to UCF athletics to support the developing track program. The remaining proceeds go to Threshold, Inc.

The first 1,000 entrants for the 5,000 meter race/walk and 1-mile fun run will receive a free ticket to the UCF vs. East Tennessee football game at 1:30 p.m. the day of the race; a

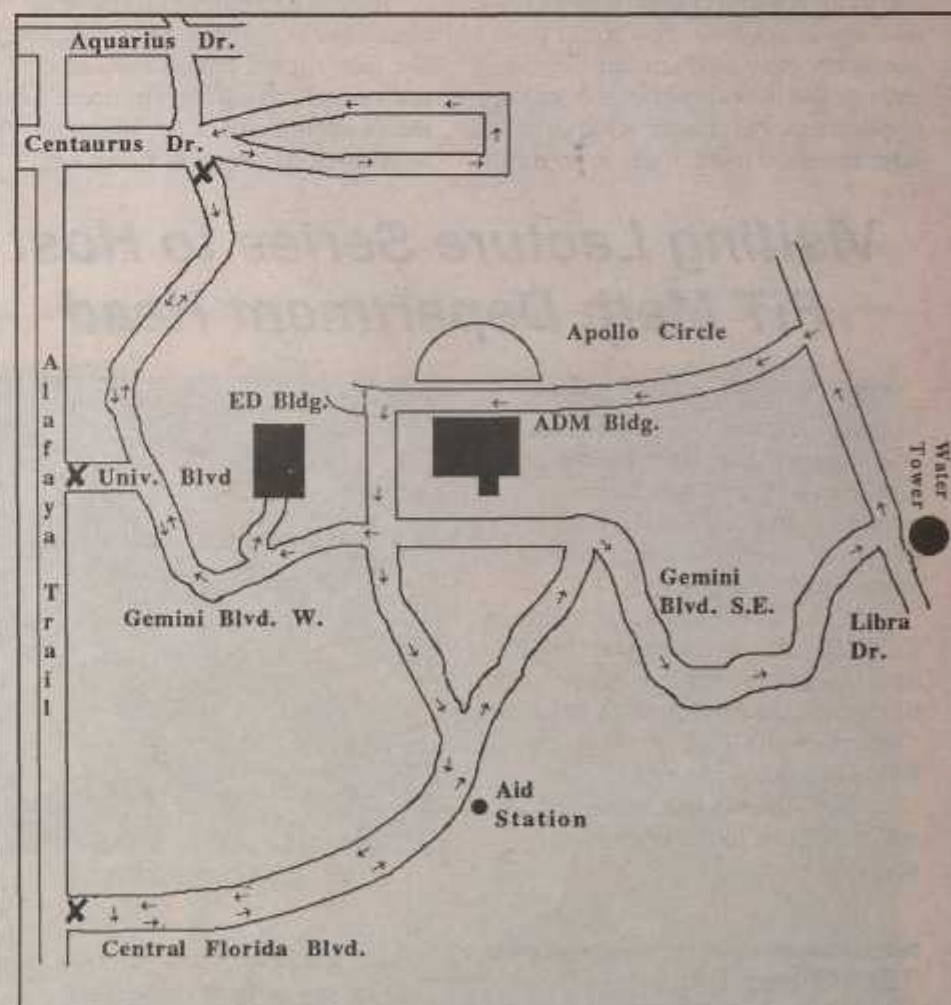
quality tee shirt; eligibility for post-race drawing for over \$1,500 worth of merchandise including round-trip air tickets via Continental Airlines, and after-race refreshments.

In support of the event, NCNB is providing special awards for the Corporate Team race as follows: 1st through 5th place corporate teams (5-person teams constituted according to Track Shack Grand Prix Series rules. At least one member must be 40 or over and at least one must be female.); 1st, 2d and 3d place to the corporate team with greatest number of runners.

Prizes in the 5,000 meter race will go to overall top three male and female; top three masters (over 40); top three each age division; top three men's and women's team; 1st place UCF alumni, male and female.

Commemorative ribbons will go to all finishers in all events.

Additional information may be obtained by calling 407/898-1313. □



To assure the safety of runners participating in the 11th Annual Run for the Kids, benefitting Threshold, Inc., several entrances into campus will be closed from 8:05 - 9:15 a.m., Saturday, Oct. 7. "X" marks the spot on the map at Central Florida Blvd. and University Blvd. Indicating these entrances will be closed. In addition the entrance at Centaurus Drive will be closed except for those drivers turning left onto Gemini Blvd. and only one lane will be open on Libra Drive for those turning into Parking Lot # 4.



# NEWCOMERS...

**Bill Barker** (Head Men's and Women's Soccer Coach/Athletics) was UCF's assistant coach, then interim head coach. He has a B.S. in economics and business from Rollins. His wife's name is Terry and his dog's name is Duncan. He was born in Atlanta, Ga. and he likes family activities, along with bass fishing, cars, auto racing and following the other UCF sports.

**Kenneth David Berry** (Groundskeeper/Physical Plant) formerly worked for Aaron Landscaping and Maintenance. He and wife Kimberly Ann live in Orlando. He enjoys swimming, fishing, boating and reading horror stories.

**David L. Brunner** (Visiting Professor, Director of Choral Activities/Music) enjoys reading, art, theatre and racquetball. He was the director of choral activities at the Chicago Musical College of Roosevelt University. He earned his BME from Illinois Wesleyan University, MM from Northwestern University and the DMA from the University of Illinois. His wife Elizabeth is the morning news anchor at WTVT-TV in Tampa.

**Karen Danisas** (Research Associate/Institute for Simulation & Training) lives in Casselberry. She formerly worked for the Naval Training Systems Center as a physicist. She earned her BS in Physics from Jacksonville University and is pursuing her MS in Simulation Systems at UCF.

**Richard Dunn-Roberts** (Assistant in Simulation/IST) is a native Floridian. He and wife Ann Louise have a son, Iain Hart, 5. He formerly worked as a programmer for Syscon Corp. in Orlando. He holds an AA from Saint Leo College and a BS in Computer

Science from UCF.

**Maria A. Ferguson** (Career Development Coordinator/Career Resource Center) was an adjunct instructor for Valencia Community College. She earned her BSBA and her MBA in Marketing from UCF. She has one child, Jaena Ferguson, 2 years old. She's a native Floridian.

**Raymond P. Fisk** (Visiting Associate Professor/Marketing) comes to us from Oklahoma State University, Klagenfurt University of Education Sciences, Austria; American Graduate School of International Management; and Arizona State University where he earned his B.S., M.B.A. and Ph.D. in marketing. He was born in Yuma, Arizona and grew up in Las Vegas, "the second best tourist town in America." Since he teaches and researches services marketing, he finds Orlando to be the best city in the world to pursue such interests. He enjoys music, reading, photography, computers and homebrewing. His wife's name is Jamie and they reside in Winter Springs.

**Rafael Gonzalez** (Assistant Director & Instructor/Instructional Resources) enjoys the arts in general; bicycling, tennis and travel. He has two children; Christopher, 13, and Marjorie, 11. He grew up and went to school in New York City. His most recent job was as assistant technician program manager, WLRN-TV, Ch. 17, Miami (Dade County Public Schools); prior to this television underwriting officer at WMFE-TV, ch. 24 for 3 years. He is working on his M.A. in Public Communication Programming from Fordham University. He earned his B.F.A. from New York Institute of Technology and holds 2 certificates in TV, radio and film production from New York University and a certificate

in directing, production and TV studio operation from the RCA Institutes TV studio school.

**Nina Marie Harding** (Secretary Specialist/Music Dept.) formerly worked at Spartan Express in Fayetteville, N.C. She was born in St. Louis, Mo. and earned an AA from Methodist College in Fayetteville, N.C. She received a diploma from the Defense Language Institute at the Presidio of Monterey, Ca. She enjoys reading and outdoor sports and she and husband William have a daughter, Lydia Harding, 22 months old.

**Paula Higginbotham** (Clerk typist/Registrar) lives in Titusville and formerly worked for an orthodontist. She has two grown children and holds a B.A. in Sociology and Religious education from Texas Christian University.

**Debby Mitchell** (Instructor, Physical Education/Exceptional and Physical Education) was born in Quincy, Fla. She was an adjunct at UCF for two years and worked at SCC and in Seminole county school system. She and husband Paul (doctorate from UCF, Principal at Mollie Ray Elem. in Orange City) have two sons; Mark, 7, and Michael, 9. She earned her B.S. and M.Ed. from UCF. She enjoys fitness, tennis, aerobics and racquetball. She is the Physical Education majors club advisor.

**Christina Pirion** (Asst. in Simulation - Systems Engineer/IST) worked in the math dept. as a graduate assistant. She earned her B.S. in mathematics from Geneva College, cum laude, and is currently working on a master's degree in mathematical science at UCF. She enjoys a variety of sports; has a part-time job as a radio announcer for a local AM

station and enjoys playing her guitar and singing.

**Linda Beats Putchinski** (Graduate Coordinator/College of Business) was born in Alexander, NY. She formerly worked as an Instructor at Florida Technical College. She and husband Laurence have three sons, Brendan, 12, Kit, 8, and Mark, 6. She earned her B.A. at Keuka College and her M.B.A. at UCF this year.

**Patricia Smith** (Data Entry Operator/Financial Aid Dept.) worked as a bookkeeper/office manager at Eldridge's floor coverings in Sebring, Fla. She has two grown sons and enjoys swimming, sewing, and bike riding. She was born in Kentucky.

**Ram Verma** (Visiting Assistant Professor/Mathematics) formerly worked as a visiting scholar at Duke University. His hobbies are sports and driving. He earned his B.A., Masters and Ph.D from the University of Lukenow, India.

**Willia Washington** (Groundskeeper/Physical Plant) was born in Sanford Fla. and now resides in Osteen. He formerly worked for Floriturf Sod, Inc. in Orlando. He has an eight year old daughter, Nancy and a four year old son, Chris.

**Bob Wise** (Advancement Specialist/Athletics) has been an OPS at UCF since Dec. 1, 1988. He was formerly Director of Development and Director of Public Information at Goodwell, Oklahoma's Panhandle State University. He earned his B.A. from Panhandle. He and his wife Paulyna "Jo" have two grown sons. He was born in Denver, Colo. and now lives in Fern Park. He enjoys bridge, fishing, cooking and photography. □

# PEOPLE...

**Moshe Pelli** (Director, Judaic Studies) participated in the Evaluative Workshop on University Teaching of the Hebrew Language conducted in Jerusalem Aug. 13-16, 1989. The workshops are sponsored by The International Center for University teaching of Jewish Civilization under the auspices of the President of Israel. Participation is by special invitation to internationally renowned scholars in the field of Judaic Studies. Dr. Pelli also chaired the session on Jews and Judaism in World Literature at the Tenth World Congress for Jewish Studies in Jerusalem on Aug. 17, 1989.

**Thomas Phillips** (Associate Professor/Accounting) directed a project in which two accounting students won

second place honors in the 1988-89 Chapter Research Award Competition sponsored by the Research Foundation of the Institute of Internal Auditors. Dorothy H. Blalock and Suzanne M. Fradette conducted a research project entitled "Do Internal Auditors Have an Image Problem?" which was submitted to the international competition by the Central Florida Chapter of IIA.

**Linda Savage** (Associate Professor/Accounting) has been honored as an Outstanding Faculty Vice President by the National Council of Beta Alpha Psi, the national honor and professional accounting fraternity. Dr. Savage has been the Faculty Vice President of UCF's Epsilon Gamma Chapter for the past three years. The

chapter has earned superior status in national competition in each of those years. She was honored at the 1989 National Conference in Honolulu in August where she received a plaque and an honorarium. She will also receive the Richard S. Claire Award from the international public accounting firm of Arthur Andersen and Co. for her accomplishment.

**George E. Stevens** (Acting Dean, College of Bus. Adm.) published an article entitled "Performance Appraisal in Higher Education: Comparing Departments of Management With Other Business Units." The article appeared in the Fall 1989 issue of *Public Personnel Management*.

**Janet J. Turnage** (Associate Profes-

sor, Psychology) presented three papers during the month of August: "Behaviorally - Based Rules for Fitness for Duty Assessment in Nuclear Power Plants" at the American Nuclear Society's regional Conference on the Human Element in Reactor Operations in Charlotte, N.C.; "On-the-Job Training Through Internships and Practica for Master's Level Students" at the American Psychological Association in New Orleans; and "Predictors of Tank Gunnery Performance" for the Central Florida chapter of the Human Factors Society. She also presented "Reliability Generalization: the Common Denominator of Validity Generalization?" at the American Psychological Society Convention in Alexandria, Va. in June. □

# RETIREEES...

The UCF Report would like to begin announcing retirements. If you're planning to retire from UCF, drop us a line and let us know what you're

planning to do ... relax, travel, take a part-time job, etc. Send information to The UCF Report, ADM 3951.



# Division of Sponsored Research Grant Opportunities

**APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED UNDER DIRECT GRANT PROGRAMS (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION)**- The Office of Bilingual Education and Minority Languages Affairs invites interested individuals to serve as field readers for the programs administered by this office. Expertise is desirable in such areas as evaluation, curriculum and materials development, personnel and parent training, education administration, research, bilingual education, English as a second language, teaching English to speakers of other languages, second language acquisition, adult education, special education, and vocational education. Individuals that only speak English are also encouraged to apply. Due date open.

**BICENTENNIAL EDUCATIONAL GRANTS PROGRAM (COMMISSION ON THE BICENTENNIAL OF THE US CONSTITUTION)**- The Commission encourages proposals which correspond to themes highlighted by the Commission during its five-year commemorative plan. In this year's competition, the Program shifts the focus to the commemoratives taking place in 1989-90—a study of the Judiciary and its historical development in the 200 years since the first session of the Supreme Court—and 1990-1991—the Bill of Rights and subsequent Amendments. Due Date Nov. 13, 1989.

**HONDA FOUNDATION GRANT (AMERICAN HONDA FOUNDATION)**- The objective of the Honda award is to formulate a program that applies the same professionalism and creative management processes that

characterize the other activities of American Honda Motor Co. To identify within the very broad range of contributions' activities certain priority areas exist that the foundation must abide by: 1) to operate the foundation in a flexible manner which responds to the changing needs of society and to opportunities for innovation and for catalytic leadership, 2) to compliment rather than substitute for the role of public institutions and public funds, and 3) to increase positive awareness and goodwill for American Honda Co. Due Date November 1, 1989.

**GENERAL RESEARCH PROGRAM (NATIONAL FOREIGN LANGUAGE CENTER)**- This program encourages empirical research in foreign language pedagogy and the study of related policy issues. Its aim is to improve the spoken and written use of foreign languages in the US. Due Date November 1, 1989.

**NEW INVESTIGATOR GRANT FOR NON-PHYSICIAN HEALTH PROFESSIONALS (ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION)**- This program encourages PhD level health professionals who have research experience to design and carry out innovative research projects related to the rheumatic diseases. Due Date November 1, 1989.

**YOUNG INVESTIGATOR PRPGRAM (OFFICE OF NAVAL RESEARCH)**- The Office of Naval Research announces its program to identify and support young scientists and engineers who show exceptional promise for doing creative research. The objectives of this program are to

attract outstanding young university faculty members to the Navy's research program, to support their research, and to encourage their teaching and research careers. This program is open to U.S. citizens holding tenure track positions at universities and colleges who received their graduate degrees (Ph.D. or equivalent) on or after 1 December 1984. Deadline: January 17, 1990.

**RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES ANNOUNCEMENT (DEPT OF ENERGY)**- The Office of Energy Research is interested in receiving proposals from different department areas. The Office of Basic Energy Sciences supports research in: 1) Energy biosciences, 2) Chemical sciences, 3) Carbon dioxide research, 4) Geosciences, 5) Energy saving engineering research, 6) Materials science, and 7) Advanced energy projects. The Office of High Energy and Nuclear Physics supports research in: 1) Nuclear physics (including nuclear data program), and 2) High energy physics (including supercollider activities). The Office of Health and Environmental Research supports research in: 1) Physical and technological research, 2) Ecological research, 3) Health effects research, and 4) Human health and assessments. The Office of Fusion Energy supports research in: 1) Applied plasma physics, 2) Confinement systems, and 3) Development and technology. Deadline: November 8, 1989.

For further information please call Grants Development at 275-2736. □

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### FOR SALE

**Piano**, Worlitzer w/bench - apartment size, medium color wood. Dehumidifier, hardly used, may need tuning, excellent cond. \$750.00 obo. Call 273-2721 after 5 p.m.

**Camera**, Pentax KX with 55 mm f1.8 and 135 mm f3.5 lenses and case. Excellent condition. \$200. Call 365-1741 and leave message.

**Sailboat**, Catalina 22 ft., 1976. Very clean. 3 sails. No motor or trailer. Presently moored in the Indian River in Melbourne. \$3,000. Call Jim at x2409 or 242-9884.

**Puppies**, Dobermans, 8 wks, big, beautiful, intelligent, both parents A.K.C. registered from champion lines. Most puppies have the warlock mares along necks. \$175-\$275. Call Howard, 380-5553.

**Mobile home**, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, doublewide, screened porch, covered carport, utility room. Located in friendly Winter Springs Mobile Home Park, \$32,900. Call 695-2942.

**Ford Grand Torino**, 1976. Two door, has good tires and runs good. \$450. Call Doris Stoneberger at x2233. After 5 p.m., call 679-0918.

'65 **Mustang**, 3 speed, 6 cylinder, 13" wheels, good body, good performance, poor interior, x2695. Evenings 365-9353.

### FOR RENT

**Chalet**, Sunny Stone chalet in the heart of the Appalachian leaf change. Fireplace. One mile from Blue Ridge Parkway and large hotel in Little Switzerland. \$275/week. 647-0823.

**Duplex**, 2 bed/2 full baths, immediate occupancy. \$475/month. 10011 Portale Ave, off Dean Rd. Contact Horace Skinner 677-0009.

## OFFICIAL BALLOT

To Spotlight the UCF Employee of the Month

I nominate \_\_\_\_\_ to be **UCF Employee of the Month** (Nominee must have been a University Support Personnel System employee for at least one year). Any employee, including faculty and A&P, may nominate a candidate on basis of job performance, dependability, attitude, etc. A name submitted remains in the pool of eligible candidates until the end of the calendar year.

Reasons for your choice \_\_\_\_\_  
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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cut out ballot and return to Connie Weiss, Computer Science, CCII 205. (Mark envelope "Confidential")

### NEXT ISSUE

The next issue of The UCF Report will be on Wednesday, October 18. The deadline for submitting copy for that issue will be Thursday, October 12.

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### PUT ON A HAPPY FACE

Giles Hoglin, professor of Communication, will host a two-day **Movie Makeup Seminar** Oct. 14 and 15. A professional film makeup artist will be demonstrating makeup basics and the three-dimensional character appliances. The seminar will run from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday (Oct. 14) and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday (Oct. 15). For more information, contact Hoglin at x5671. □